





## For Sale.

**MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.**  
No. 53, Queen's Road East,  
(OPPOSITE THE CATHEDRAL).  
ARE NOW LANDING  
FROM AMERICA.

**CALIFORNIA**  
BACON  
COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb  
tins, and loose.  
Soda BISCUITS.  
Assorted BISCUITS.

Small HOMINY.  
Cracked WHEAT.  
OATMEAL.  
CORNMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER.  
Apple BUTTER.  
Eastern and Californian CHEESE.  
COTTAGE, Brie, and  
Prime HAMS and BACON.  
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.  
Family BEES in 25 lb kegs.  
Bean Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.  
Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 24 lb cans.  
" Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.  
" Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage  
MEAT.  
" Stuffed PEPPERS.  
" Assorted SOUPS.  
Richardson & Tobin's Celebrated Potted  
MEATS.

Lunch HAM.  
Lamb's TONGUES.  
Olan CHOWDER.  
French OREGON SALMON.  
Dried APPLES.  
TOMATOES.  
SUCCOTASH.  
Maple SYRUP.  
Golden SYRUP.  
LOBSTERS.  
OYSTERS.  
HONEY.  
Assorted JELLIES.  
Grown CORN.

## FAIRBANKS' SCALES.

400 lb. Capacity.  
500 " "  
900 " "  
1,200 " "

CORN BROOMS.  
OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS.  
AXES and HATCHETS.  
AGATE IRON WARE.  
WAFLE IRONS.  
SMOOTHING IRONS.

PAINTS and OILS.  
TALLOW and TAR.  
VARNISHES.

DEVOS'S NONPAREIL  
BRILLIANT  
KEROSENE OIL,

150° test.

Ex late Arrivals from  
ENGLAND.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF  
STORES,

including:  
CHRISTMAS CAKES.  
PLUM PUDDINGS.  
MINCEMEAT.  
ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Crystallized FRUITS.  
TAYSON'S DESSERT FRUITS.  
Pudding RAISINS.  
Lente CURRANTS.

Fine YORK HAMS.  
PICNIC TONGUES.  
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.  
SAVORY PATES.

FRENCH PLUMS.  
BRAXY.  
INFANTS' FOOD.  
CORN FLOUR.

SPARTAN  
COOKING STOVES.

HITCHCOCK HOUSE LAMP.  
PERFECTION STUDENT LAMP.

CLARETS—  
CHATEAU MARGAUX.  
CHATEAU LA TOUR, pints & quarts.  
1854. GRAVES. " "  
BREAKFAST CLARET. " "

SHERRIES & PORT—  
SAOCCO'S MANZANILLA & AMON-  
TILLADO.  
SAOCCO'S OLD INVALID PORT  
(1848).  
HUFF'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.—  
1 and 3 star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.  
BISQUIT Dubouché & Co.'s BRANDY.  
FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY.  
KINAHAN'S LI WHISKY.  
ROYAL GLENDE WHISKY.  
BORDO'S OLD WHISKY.  
E. & J. BURET'S IRISH WHISKY.  
ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.  
NOLLY PRAT & Co.'s VELMOUTH.  
CLARET'S GINGER BRANDY.  
EASTERN ORIGIN.  
CHAMPAGNE.  
MARASCHINO.  
CURACAO.

ANGOSTURA, BOREN'S and ORANGE  
BITTERS.  
&c., &c., &c.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and  
SANDERS, pints and quarts.  
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &  
J. BURET, pints and quarts.  
BRIGHT ALE and PORTER, by the  
Gallon.

ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.

SPECIALLY SELECTED  
CIGARS.

Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in  
5 centy Boxes.  
BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF  
SAVES, CASH and PAPER  
BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.

Hongkong, December 1, 1883. 1045

## Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS  
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED  
STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND  
SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,  
VIA  
THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  
AND  
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING  
STEAMERS.

THE S. S. OCEANIC will be despatched  
for San Francisco, via Yokohama,  
on SATURDAY, the 26th January, at  
3 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama,  
with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan  
ports.  
All Parcel Packages should be marked to  
address in full; and same will be received  
at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the  
day previous to sailing.  
Business Passengers—Passengers, who  
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San  
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)  
within six months, will be allowed a discount  
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking  
within one year, an allowance of 10% will  
be given; and if re-embarking after one year,  
will be issued at a Discount of 25% from  
Return Fare. These allowances do not apply  
to through fares from China and Japan to  
Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-  
land, Mexican, Central and South American  
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's  
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,  
San Francisco.  
For further information as to Freight  
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the  
Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER,  
Agent.

Hongkong, January 12, 1884. 86

## NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,  
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA,  
PORT SAID, SYRIAN PORTS,  
NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS  
OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA.

PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA  
AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON TUESDAY, the 29th January,  
1884, at Noon, the Company's S. S.  
OCEANIC, Commanded by ROSSIGNOL,  
Baton, with MAILS, PASSENGERS,  
SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port  
for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-  
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the  
principal places of Europe.

Shipping orders will be granted until  
Noon of 28th January, 1884.

Cargo will be received on board until 4  
p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on  
the 28th January, 1884. (Parcels are not  
to be sent on board; they must be left at  
the Agency's Office.)  
Contents and value of Packages are re-  
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.

I. MARTIN,  
Acting Agent.

Hongkong, January 16, 1884. 107

FREDERIC ALGAR,  
COLONIAL NEWSPAPER & COMMIS-  
SION AGENT.

11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street,  
LONDON.

THE Colonial Press supplied with News-  
papers, Books, Typo, Ink, Presses,  
Papers, Correspondence, Letters; and any  
European Goods on London terms.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

Colonial Newspapers received at the office  
are regularly filed for the inspection of  
Advertisers and the Public.

Mr. Andrew Wind,  
News Agent, &c.

133, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK;  
is authorized to receive Subscriptions,  
Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail,  
Overland China Mail, and China Review.

## SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. JAN. 25, 1884.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid- up.	Reserve.	Working Account.	Last Dividend.	Quota- tions.
BANKS.							
H.K. & Shanghai Bank	50,000	125	125	3,198,356	62,500.62	£2	170%—\$337½
INSURANCES.							
Nth. China Ins.	5,000	200	200	£50,000	...	18%	TL1350 p. sh.
Yantai Ins.	6,000	240	240	£60,000	...	18%	TL1000
Union Ins. Soc.	2,000	1,250	125	500,000	£76,391.00	18.20%	£620
China Traders'	24,000	83.33	25	600,000	107,411.05	22%	£78
C'nan Ins. Office	10,000	250	50	...	£66,127.77	10%	£107½
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	1,000	200	100,375	£3907.18	3%	£200
H.K. Fire Ins.	8,000	250	50	861,000	£20,732.50	£20	£285
China Fire Ins.	20,000	100	20	500,000	106,355.49	£3.50	£74
STEAM & PANES.							
H.K. & M. Steamboat	8,000	100	75	200,000	41,320.05	6%	£123
Indo-China S. Nav. Co.	120,000	10	10	...	...	25%	dis.
S.S. Co., Ltd.	3,500	£100	all	...	...	...	...
MISCELLANEOUS.							
H.K. & Whampoa Dock	10,000	125	125	£18,000	2,063.04	4%	54% p.m.— £192½
H.K. & China Gas Co.	5,000	10	10	£7,758.14	1,144.18	...	£84 p. share
H'kong Hotel	2,000	100	100	30,000	...	...	£150
China Sugar Co.	9,000	100	100	585,568.92	£127½	...	£127½
H'kong Ice Co.	1,250	100	100	15,250	...	...	£127½
H'kong Bakery	600	50	50	4,000	253.45	...	£82
Luzon Sugar Co.	7,000	100	100	...	4,090.65	...	£93
Perak Tin Min- ing & Smelting Company	3,000	50	all	...	...	...	£100
LOANS.							
Chi. Imp.	1874	6,278	100	all	...	...	...
" "	1877	16,046	100	all	...	...	...
" "	1878	3,897	500	all	...	...	...
" "	1881	8,668	500	all	...	...	...
Sugar Deben- tures, 1880	600	500	all	8%	June & Dec.	...	2% prem.

\* For 6 months to 18th Jan.—Dividend for 1883 and Bonus of 25 per cent.—To 20th April  
1883.—For year 1881.—For half year ended 30th June 1883.

EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

## Mails.

MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.

STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE,  
VIA INLAND SEA.  
(Taking Cargo and Passengers for YOKO-  
HAMA and VLADEVOSTOK.)

THE S.S. KUMAMOTO MARU, Capt.  
DEUMOND, due here on or about the  
26th Instant, will be despatched at 4 p.m.  
on FRIDAY, the 1st February, at 4 p.m.  
Cargo received on board and Parcels at  
the Office up to 1 p.m. of day of sailing.  
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2  
Freight.

All Claims must be settled on board  
before delivery is taken, otherwise they  
will not be recognized.  
Cargo and Passengers for Yokohama  
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail  
Steamer at Kobe, and for Vladivostok at  
Nagasaki.

For further Particulars, apply at the  
Company's OFFICES, Praya Central, Ground  
Floor of Messrs Russell & Co.

H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Agent.

Hongkong, January 23, 1884. 142

## Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or Goods stored therein, on  
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of  
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms  
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1884. 100

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above  
Company, are authorized to insure  
against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1884. 14

## THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF  
His Majesty King George the First;  
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows—  
Marine Department.  
Policies at current rates, payable either  
here, in London, or at the principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates.

Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 496

## NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-  
PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept  
Risks on First Class Godowns at ½  
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 938

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company are  
prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE  
RISKS to all parts of the World, at current  
rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 855

## Intimations.

WILLIAM DOLAN,  
SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,  
25, PRAYA CENTRAL.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS,  
MANILA, PEEL AMERICAN  
CORK, LIFE BOOYS,  
CORK JACKETS,  
&c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY.

QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND  
CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for  
passing the Company's Steamers  
through the Suez Canal in QUARANTINE,  
thus avoiding any detention in Egypt.  
The Homeward Mails are now being landed  
at Venice, but the QUARANTINE which is  
still imposed at this and all other CONTIN-  
ENTAL PORTS prevents the landing of Pas-  
sengers, and those travelling by the Com-  
pany's Steamers are advised to remain on  
board the Vessel which calls at MANZARAH,  
as route-stopping a few hours only to dis-  
charge Cargo—and proceed in her direct to  
London, thus avoiding all QUARANTINE  
delays and inconveniences.

The Passages of the Steamers will be  
accelerated, and they will not call at MALTA  
or GIBRALTAR.

A. McIVER,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, September 6, 1883. 491

E. J. DURNY,  
PROFESSOR OF MUSIC.

LESSONS given on the PIANO and  
ORGAN.  
TERMS MODERATE.  
Address—  
No. 11, THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.

Hongkong, December 18, 1883. 1157

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM BATAVIA AND SAIGON.

THE Steamship *Gloria* having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees  
of Cargo are hereby requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and to take im-  
mediate delivery of their Cargoes into the Godowns  
Cargo remaining undelivered will be at  
once landed and stored at Consignees' risk  
and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, January 21, 1884. 129

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Gloria* having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees  
of Cargo are hereby informed that their  
Goods—except with the exception of Opium—are  
being landed at their risk into the Godowns  
of the Undersigned, whence and/or from  
the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-  
tained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
4 p.m. To-day, the 25th Instant, at which  
time the Goods remaining undelivered after the  
30th Instant will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, January 23, 1884. 144

## CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

A SUPPLY of the above in Good Order  
has just been Received.

A. S. WATSON & Co.,  
Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, January 2, 1884. 5

## To-day's Advertisements.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for CHEFOO, HANKOW and Ports  
on the YANGTSE.)

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Kwangtung,"  
Capt. JACKSON, will be  
despatched as above TO-  
MORROW, the 26th Instant, at 4 p.m.,  
instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, January 25, 1884. 156

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO  
STEAMBOAT COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE *KUANGHONG* will NOT RUN  
to or from CANTON on SUNDAY, the  
27th, and MONDAY, the 28th Instant.

By Order,  
P. A. DE COSTA,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 25, 1884. 155

## LADIES' RECREATION CLUB.

THIS CLUB will be formally OPENED  
on FRIDAY, the 1st of February, at  
3 o'clock, by Lady BOWEN.

All Members are invited to attend.  
By the kind permission of Colonel HOSKIN  
and Officers of the Band of the "Buffs" will  
be in attendance.

Hongkong, January 25, 1884. 157

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Feronia*, Capt. PAT-  
TERSON, having arrived from the above  
Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
informed that their Goods are being landed  
and stored at their risk into the Godowns  
of the Undersigned, whence and/or from  
the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-  
tained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day, the 25th Instant.  
Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
20th Instant will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
SIEMSEN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, January 25, 1884. 154

## To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL,  
CITY HALL.

DAVIS & D'ANGELO, Lessees.

THIS EVENING,  
the 25th January, 1884.



to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.  
TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees, Fahrenheit.  
HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the of air saturated with moisture being 100.  
DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.  
FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort scale.  
STATE OF WEATHER, & blue sky, & clouds, & drizzling rain, & fog, & gloomy, & lightning, & overcast, & passing showers, & rain, & snow, & thunder, & visibility, &c.  
REMARKS.—The letters are repeated to indicate over the average of their



